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Officers of the Town of Sidney elected and appointed for
the year 1928-29.

MODERATOR
GUY H. LYON

TOWN CLERK
J. H. FIELD

SELECTMEN, ASSESSORS AND OVERSEERS OF THE POOR
C. D. CLARK W. E. NOBLE J. A. LYON

TREASURER AND COLLECTOR
H. A. FAUGHT

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
JOHN S. TAPLEY

SUPERINTENDING SCHOOL COMMITTEE
ANGELINE SAWTELLE GEORGE SHAW
A. LOGAN CLARK

HEALTH OFFICER
EVA M. CLARK

CONSTABLE
FRED E. CREED

ROAD COMMISSIONERS
O. H. DAVENPORT W. Y. BALLARD

FIRE WARD
MANSON W. COWAN

Selectmen's Report

To the Citizens of the Town of Sidney:

We hereby submit our Annual Report for the year ending February 10, 1929.

VALUATION AND TAX

Resident Real Estate,	\$285,140.00	
Non-Resident Real Estate,	121,415.00	
Total Real Estate,		\$406,555.00
Resident Personal Estate,	81,900.00	
Non-Resident Personal Estate,	4,150.00	
Total Personal Estate,		\$ 86,005.00
Grand Total,		\$492,605.00
Tax on above at .555 (mills),		\$ 27,339.58
238 Polls at \$3.00,		714.00
		\$ 28,053.58

APPROPRIATIONS

Highways and Bridges,	\$ 2,000.00
State Aid Road,	533.00
Maintenance,	200.00
Common Schools,	5,000.00
Tuition out of Town,	1,000.00
Repair of Schoolhouse,	700.00
School Books,	250.00
Support of Poor,	1,200.00
Defray town charges and snow bills,	5,000.00

Blister rust control,	200.00
Memorial Day,	25.00
Town Fair,	50.00
Patrol work on Middle and Bog roads,	500.00
River road, gravel,	500.00
Hastings bridge,	2,856.00
Minot road, gravel,	500.00
Lewis road,	500.00
Bog road, special,	500.00
Town Farm road, gravel,	500.00
Robinson road,	200.00
Martin Reynolds note,	500.00
South section Quaker road,	500.00
	\$ 23,414.00
State tax,	3,406.86
County tax,	958.49
Overlay,	274.23

LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY ASSESSED IN 1928

	No.	Av. Val.	
Horses,	284	64.83	\$ 18,410.00
Colts, 3 to 4 yrs. old,	2	50.00	100.00
Cows,	512	38.58	19,755.00
Oxen,	2	75.00	150.00
3 yrs. old,	115	34.35	3,950.00
18 mos. to 3 yrs.,	212	25.97	5,505.00
Poultry over 50 in number,	1031	1.00	1,031.00
			\$ 48,901.00

PERSONAL PROPERTY EXEMPT BY LAW

	No.	Av. Val.	
One year olds,	287	\$15.21	\$4,365.00
Sheep to 35 in number,	260	8.00	2,080.00
Swine to 10 in number,	256	15.00	3,840.00
Poultry to 50 in number,	4450	1.00	4,450.00

ALL OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY

	No.	
Stock in trade,	2	650.00
Small boats,		300.00
Logs and lumber	100,000	2,200.00
Automobiles,	210	26,929.00
Mueical instruments,	26	2,120.00
Radios and victrolas,	32	1,155.00
Machinery,	58	3,795.00
		—————\$ 37,149.00

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AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES

W. R. Ayers, supplies for George Bronson,	\$26.05
W. C. Powell, wood for Geo. Bronson,	6.00
W. R. Ayers, supplies for family of Geo. Bronson,	35.68
W. R. Ayers, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	32.63
W. R. Ayers, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	37.09
James Reicker, wood for Geo. Bronson,	5.50
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	22.10
Leslie R. Lathe, supplies for Geo. Bronson's family,	2.08
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	68.74
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	69.38
Herbert Ware, rent for George Bronson,	12.00
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	54.41
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	56.58
W. C. Powell, wood for Geo. Bronson,	24.00
Arthur Robinson, wood for Geo. Bron-	

son,	34.00
Malcolm Philbrick, sawing and hauling wood for Geo. Bronson,	8.00
Herbert Ware, rent for Geo. Bronson,	12.00
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	58.70
Dr. E. P. Williams, medical services to family of Geo. Bronson,	11.00
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	45.45
Town of Harmony, doctor for Wm. Bronson,	30.00
James Reicker, wood for George Bronson,	26.00
Arthur Robinson, wood for Geo. Bronson,	10.00
Augusta Gen. Hospital, for Glenna Bronson,	18.00
A. W. Hammond, supplies for Geo. Bronson,	61.05
Leo E. Graves, taking daughter of Geo. Bronson to Augusta Hospital,	2.00
J. H. Reicker, wood for Geo. Bronson,	18.25
Dr. E. P. Williams, services to family of Geo. Bronson,	5.00
	791.69

POOR BILLS 1928

Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles from Feb. 7 to March 6,	20.00
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of Wm. Meloon,	45.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles March 6 to April 4,	20.00
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of William Meloon,	22.13
Augusta General Hospital, treatment	

of Fred W. Hamlin,	123.50
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of William Meloon, month of April,	21.42
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of William Meloon for May,	22.13
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	21.00
Raymond Pooler, for moving furniture of Ada Cowan,	6.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Paul Rosner, topping out chimney for Ada Cowan,	2.00
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	15.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of William Meloon, month of June,	21.42
Mrs. B. F. Jackson, board of William Meloon, July 1 to July 8,	5.71
W. E. Noble, boarding Wm. Meloon two days,	1.42
E. L. White, mason work on chimney for Ada Cowan,	7.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
C. D. Clark, lodging tramp,	1.00
Robert Goldberg, clothing for James Crowley,	8.35
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	22.13
Hersey's Shoe Store, shoes and rubbers for Rosanna Fowles,	3.74
Gladys Cummings, board, stockings and limiment for Rosanna Fowles,	21.40

Mrs. Fred Keen, board of Flora Gammon to Sept. 15,	16.00
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	21.42
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	10.00
Merton Jackson, helping move Ada Cowan's furniture,	1.35
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	12.13
C. A. Waite, board and supplies for James Crowley,	113.04
Gladys Cummings, extra care of Rosanna Fowles,	15.00
Ralph H. Sawtelle, board and supplies for James Crowley,	67.34
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloon,	21.42
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.00
Theodore Longley, Jr., board of H. E. Blanchard,	20.00
Robert McCormack, board of Wm. Meloon,	22.13
T. W. Longley, Jr., board of H. E. Blanchard,	10.00
Gladys Cummings, board, medicine and stockings for Rosanna Fowles,	31.00
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	10.00
Robert McCormack, board of Wm. Meloon,	10.00
Gladys Cummings, board and supplies for Rosanna Fowles	28.55

P. W. French, bricks and repairs on Ada Cowan's chimney,	2.50	
Gladys Cummings, board of Rosanna Fowles,	20.45	
Gladys Cummings, board and supplies for Rosanna Fowles,	10.90	
P. W. French, conducting funeral services of Rosanna Fowles,	2.00	
Robert McCormack, board of William Meloan,	12.13	
George Austin, board of H. E. Blanch- ard,	14.85	
Gladys Cummings, extra care of Ros- anna Fowles, 7 nights at \$1.50,	10.50	
Ralph Sawtelle, board and supplies for James Crowley,	63.60	
Dr. E. P. Williams, professional call on Rosanna Fowles,	5.00	
Gladys Cummings, for board of Burn- ham boys,	88.00	
		1,188.16
Aid to dependent soldiers and their families,		791.69
		\$ 1,979.85
Received from State on account of William Meloan,	\$ 207.78	
Received from town of Boothbay on account of Burnham boys,	66.00	
Due from State,	62.81	
	\$ 336.59	
Total expenditures,		1,979.85
Appropriation,	1,200.00	
Overdrawn,	443.26	
	\$	1,979.85

TOWN BILLS 1928

C. D. Clark, as services as selectman from Feb. 11 to March 5,	\$ 21.00
C. D. Clark, postage,	1.24
C. D. Clark, housing road machine,	5.00
State Treasurer, mothers' aid for Anna Pihlgren,	115.50
H. E. Burnham, labor on summer high- ways for 1926,	2.70
W. W. Cowan, services as ballot clerk,	2.50
David Butler, housing road machine,	5.00
H. A. Faught, services as treasurer and collector,	400.00
Fred G. Creed, services as constable,	12.50
Fairfield Publishing Co., printing town reports,	99.00
G. W. Evans, lumber sold town in 1925 and 1926,	130.77
M. L. Reynolds, Heirs, interest on note,	125.00
S. C. Hastings, interest on notes,	150.00
J. Frank Pierce, store supplies for town office,	19.05
City of Gardiner, mother's aid for Agnes Nichols,	37.50
Loring, Short & Harmon, two poultry books and 1500 index cards,	11.10
Lizzie Barr, cleaning town hall, after town meeting,	2.00
Newell White, 200 dog licenses,	1.75
W. E. Noble, services as selectman,	64.50
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	60.00
C. D. Clark, services as selectman from March 5th and April 24th,	69.00
C. D. Clark, supplies for town office,	8.44
R. W. Leighton, register of probate, expense of appointing guardian for Archie Robinson,	2.00
M. W. Cowan, services as fire ward,	5.00

Carver & Davis, housing snow roller,	5.00
C. H. Goodhue, one mouldboard and blade for little Panama,	15.00
C. D. Clark, hauling curb, and clean- ing out town well,	3.50
John A. Hassam, curb stone for town well and labor,	7.20
Hussey Hardware Co., town pump and pipe,	10.50
Mrs. Margaret Tolman, appropriation for Memorial Day,	25.00
City of Augusta, fire department at Abbott farm fire,	100.00
John S. Tapley, services as supervisor of schools,	283.34
Quimby's Art Store, ledger and book for town office,	13.09
Logan Clark, repairs on snow roller,	10.75
John Ballard, repairs on road machine on 1926 and 1927,	15.00
Brookside Press, printing and supplies for town office,	15.75
The Berger Mfg. Co., Little Panama blade,	8.00
Fred Ames, services at George Newell's fire,	2.70
Manson W. Cowan, services as fire ward,	5.00
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	62.00
C. D. Clark, services as selectman,	24.50
City of Gardiner, mother's aid for Agnes M. Nichols,	37.50
Hussey Hardware Co., 1 padlock for town hall,	1.00
J. S. Tracey, services as ferryman,	62.00
H. E. Trask, labor and repairs on road machine,	14.30
State Trust Co., interest on note,	25.00

J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	60.00
James H. Allen, 2 packages of Antiron,	4.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	12.50
C. D. Clark, services as selectman,	15.45
Manson Cowan, services as fire ward,	2.00
Vermont Mutual Fire Ins. Co., insur-	
ance assessment,	6.75
J. Frank Pierce store, rubber stamp,	2.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	12.50
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	62.00
W. P. Lyon, appropriation for town fair,	50.00
State Treasurer, mother's aid for	
Anna Pihlgren,	120.00
M. L. Reynolds, heirs, interest on note,	12.50
City of Gardiner, mothers' aid for	
Agnes Nichols,	37.50
State Trust Co., interest on note,	75.00
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	60.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	25.00
Guy H. Lyon, insurance on town hall,	7.20
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	62.00
F. G. Creed, services as constable,	43.50
Arthur Keen, watching fire at George	
Newell's,	5.00
J. A. Lyon, services on board of select-	
men from Feb. 10th to Nov. 1st,	111.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	50.00
W. E. Noble, services as selectman,	85.40
Guy H. Lyon, services as moderator,	3.00
Guy H. Lyon, services as truant	
officer,	5.00
McLean, Fogg & Southard, commission	
for collecting bill from Solon,	3.75
State Trust Co., interest on note,	25.00
C. H. Goodhue, front wheels and axles	
of road machine,	35.00
W. W. Cowan, services as ballot clerk,	9.00
John S. Tapley, salary as supervisor	

of schools,	283.33
F. A. Barnard, housing two snow rollers,	10.00
C. D. Clark, service as selectman,	42.00
C. D. Clark, hauling out ferryboat,	3.00
C. D. Clark, housing two snow rollers,	10.00
C. D. Clark, postage,	2.00
Flora M. Bird, interest on note,	20.00
Charles Goff, plank for ferryboat,	5.20
J. H. Field, services as town clerk,	41.00
J. S. Tracy, services as ferryman,	72.00
Dr. E. P. Williams, examination of Hattie Lincoln, to obtain blind pension,	2.00
F. C. Foster, sealing weights and measures,	4.00
Manson Cowan, service as fire ward,	2.00
Eva M. Clark, services as health officer,	4.00
City of Augusta, srevices of fire depart- ment at Cedric Reynolds,	75.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	25.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	37.50
Sidney Tel. Co., use of telephone,	12.15
Robert McCormack, driving hearse for Mrs. Phrosina Ellis,	6.00
City of Gardiner, mother's aid for Agnes Nichols,	37.50
Dr. Oliver Turner, medical services for Frances Nichols,	3.00
Harry Thayer, printing six order books,	5.00
State Trust Co., interest on note,	25.00
A. W. Hammond, services as ballot clerk,	7.50
Henry L. Hunton, legal advice,	2.00
J. A. Lyon, services on board of Select-	

men from Nov. 1st, 1928 to Feb. 11, 1929,	33.00	
W. E. Noble, services as selectman,	19.00	
W. E. Noble, postage and supplies,	2.00	
C. D. Clark, services as selectman,	13.00	
C. D. Clark, postage and supplies,	2.00	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of Arthur Lessard,	80.48	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of Herbert Axtell,	5.55	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of L. Thicka,	5.55	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of Nathalie Betts,	22.20	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of J. B. Hodgden, heirs,	33.30	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of William and Cordelia Crafts Coburn,	8.33	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of William Harvey,	46.62	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of Summer Haven Realty Corp.	86.86	
H. A. Faught, tax deed and costs of W. A. Hoxie, heirs,	75.48	
Dr. L. E. Reynolds, recording births and deaths,	.75	
State Trust Co., interest on notes,	198.04	
		\$ 2,962.07
Snow bills for 1927 and 1928,		1,523.50
Pine blister rust control,		115.60
Abatement,		9.92
	\$	4,611.09
Unexpended,		388.91
	\$	5,000.00
Appropriation,	\$	5,000.00

WINTER HIGHWAY, 1928

Daniel O'Brien,	\$ 26.20
Fred Keene,	2.10
Malcolm Philbrick,	24.75
C. C. Burnham,	6.75
Ralph Ballard,	1.35
Clifton Tilton,	6.30
Sumner Trask,	2.85
Edward Freeman,	6.75
Edward Freeman,	1.35
P. W. French,	15.00
O. C. Philbrick,	10.80
M. I. Knight,	4.80
C. E. Smith,	10.80
Lawrence Barr,	2.70
Leslie Lathe,	4.80
Walter McArthur,	3.15
W. W. Cowan,	33.80
S. A. Manter,	8.00
Clarence Oliver,	13.65
A. W. Bangs,	2.40
Arthur Keene,	8.10
Ben. Jellison,	16.20
D. A. Sawtelle,	22.05
R. D. Sawtelle,	8.10
Carleton Burnham,	8.10
W. Y. Ballard,	9.45
Harvey Smith,	2.70
H. E. Blanchard,	3.60
Harold Reynolds,	.70
H. E. Trask,	17.65
Will Folsom,	4.05
George Newell,	3.00
L. D. Goff,	16.05
T. W. Longley,	18.60
John Wilson,	27.00
C. D. Clark,	3.15

C. D. Clark,	9.45
M. E. Page,	6.30
Fred Peterson,	2.70
Lawrence Peterson,	2.70
George Gray,	7.50
A. W. Bangs,	23.40
Robert McCormack	8.40
Hussey Hardware,	7.58
R. H. Gilmore,	4.20
A. C. Robinson,	2.70
Ray Philbrick,	10.80
Charlie Smith,	2.70
G. H. Green,	22.05
B. D. Jellison,	20.10
Roy Sawtelle,	2.70
D. A. Sawtelle,	8.10
A. Carron,	4.05
John Philbrick,	10.80
A. W. Hammond,	40.05
H. H. Philbrick,	4.05
Alvah Richardson,	3.37
Paul Rosner,	2.70
J. A. Foss,	4.20
A. C. Robinson,	5.40
H. C. Burnham,	5.40
Lincoln Marston,	5.70
A. G. Cummings,	5.70
Kenneth Black,	12.00
Frank Jackson,	3.00
Judson Claridge,	3.90
C. E. Sibley,	3.30
C. H. Sibley,	6.10
Harold Benson,	8.40
O. H. Davenport,	36.22
E. R. Ronco,	1.20
W. H. Cowan,	12.45
Joseph Godbout,	3.15
Carver & Davis,	27.90

E. G. Graves,	4.20
I. W. Lowell,	3.13
R. C. Smiley,	9.45
Frank A. Lathe,	31.95
R. C. Gilmore,	2.70
Clarence Fowler,	6.00
E. C. Knowles,	14.50
Harry Hughes,	2.25
Selden Manter,	12.00
Roland Philbrick,	9.60
A. L. Chadbourne,	3.15
M. H. Drummond,	1.75
Merton J. Jackson,	5.40
E. L. Swift,	47.85
Herbert Haskell,	15.00
F. A. Barnard,	33.00
F. Bigelow Barnard,	6.30
Eugene Cowan,	16.50
Bert Blaisdell,	21.60
L. D. Swift,	16.70
John Wilson,	1.35
Walter Haskell,	22.05
Wm. W. Cowan,	30.90
E. C. Weeks,	9.45
John H. Nichols,	9.45
L. H. Black,	22.30
Clarence Oliver,	11.74
Will Keene,	1.50
F. B. Bailey & Son,	23.68
Carver and Davis,	3.40
W. B. Haskell,	5.00
W. B. Haskell,	9.45
H. C. Hammond,	9.45
J. E. Sawtelle,	6.30
Harry Dawe,	3.45
\$ 1,523.50	

SUMMER HIGHWAY—EASTERN DIVISION

O. H. Davenport,	\$ 35.40
Joseph Godbout,	1.25
F. G. Creed,	8.75
J. E. Hughes,	1.20
Maurice Cannon,	.90
Harold Downing,	18.30
John Harvey,	14.75
F. G. Creed,	7.70
Thomas Furman,	1.20
A. B. Davenport,	115.45
C. D. Clark,	16.30
A. H. Smiley,	15.30
W. V. Hughes,	2.70
J. E. Hughes,	2.70
A. H. Smiley,	12.15
W. V. Hughes,	7.65
J. E. Hughes,	7.65
M. F. Tracy,	4.95
M. F. Tracy,	16.20
Lorenzo Paine,	13.95
M. F. Tracy,	13.05
J. E. Hughes,	9.30
W. V. Hughes,	10.20
E. H. Bragg,	.70
Judson Clark,	1.50
C. A. Graves,	.45
A. B. Davenport,	82.19
E. G. Graves,	1.05
C. H. Sibley,	6.30
Storer Tanner,	41.66
O. H. Davenport,	143.27
R. C. Smiley,	2.70
O. W. Smiley,	9.40
Charlie Smith,	4.20
M. H. Drummond,	40.62
A. B. Davenport,	55.51

A. H. Smiley,	9.00
Ethel M. Springer,	9.50
H. M. Tolman,	1.50
M. F. Tracy,	3.90
W. V. Hughes,	2.10
J. E. Hughes,	3.90
J. S. Tracy,	2.70
Lorenzo Paine,	1.50
F. G. Creed,	1.40
L. D. Goff,	9.80
M. F. Tracy,	2.70
Storer Tanner,	40.36
Walter Wilshire,	4.20
C. D. Clark,	6.30
A. H. Smiley,	5.40
Charlie Smith,	8.40
O. H. Davenport,	19.79
A. B. Davenport,	40.73
A. B. Davenport,	27.22
C. D. Clark,	3.15
Brooks Hardware Co.,	13.50
A. H. Smiley,	3.50
Fred Smith,	2.10
J. E. Hughes,	1.65
J. E. Hughes,	9.00
W. V. Hughes,	9.00
Charlie Atter,	1.33
M. F. Tracy,	9.00
Walter McArthur,	10.66
A. B. Davenport,	57.25
Charlie Smith,	10.50
C. H. Sibley,	4.20
Judson Claridge,	2.10
P. W. French,	4.00
H. M. Tolman,	10.50
R. C. Smiley,	29.66
O. W. Smiley,	37.60
A. H. Smiley,	6.65

Storer Tanner,	35.57	
O. H. Davenport,	39.81	
Leigh Parker,	2.50	
G. H. Lyon,	1.25	
		\$ 1,231.43
Appropriation,		1,000.00
Overdrawn,	\$	231.43
On hand, two stone forks,		6.00
On hand, three spades,		3.75

SUMMER HIGHWAY—WESTERN DIVISION

George Green,	\$ 18.90
George Dudley,	12.15
Fred Peterson,	18.90
W. Y. Ballard,	208.15
P. W. French,	29.70
Harvey Smith,	8.10
W. Y. Ballard,	79.50
Arthur Keene,	68.85
W. Y. Ballard,	87.60
Harvey Smith,	2.70
P. W. French,	30.80
E. C. Knowles,	4.90
Manson Cowan,	42.00
Harvey Smith,	13.50
Arthur Keene,	13.50
George Newell,	5.40
Robert McCormack,	6.00
W. Y. Ballard,	67.80
Harold Reynolds,	8.10
Harvey Smith,	8.10
Paul Rosner,	2.70
George Green,	22.05
P. W. French,	33.50
Charles Smith,	15.75
Arthur Keene,	29.70

H. E. Trask,	12.60
George Dudley,	6.75
Arthur Keene,	8.10
Manson Cowan,	25.20
Harry Haskell,	4.00
Arthur Keene,	13.50
George Dudley,	8.10
Daniel Bartlett,	13.50
P. W. French,	51.35
Harvey Smith,	8.10
Harold Reynolds,	8.10
Earl Bartlett,	8.10
W. Y. Ballard,	113.00
Harvey Smith,	2.70
Fred Keene,	5.85
Roland Philbrick,	8.10
Harold Keene,	5.40
Fred Ames,	8.10
Manson Cowan,	37.80
Berger Mfg. Co.,	115.50
Malcolm Philbrick,	25.00
Harry Haskell,	25.00
George Green,	12.60
Harry Haskell,	22.60
Fred Peterson,	85.40
A. G. Cummings,	9.45
B. F. Jackson,	20.25
Evelyn Goodhue,	37.80
Fred Peterson,	5.00
John Griffin,	16.20
John Griffin,	17.55
A. G. Cummings,	21.60
M. J. Jackson,	13.50
W. Y. Ballard,	51.10
Charles Smith,	20.40
P. W. French,	5.00
Merton Jackson,	16.20
Daniel Bartlett,	8.10

John Philbrick,	28.35	
George Green,	17.40	
Bert Blaisdell,	78.75	
L. D. Swift,	1.50	
H. E. Trask,	1.40	
John Nichols,	6.30	
Frank Faught,	5.00	
George Tilton,	12.00	
Gertrude Crockett,	35.20	
		\$ 1,920.60
Appropriation,		1,000.00
Overdrawn,		\$ 920.60
Paid for maintenance of patrol,	\$ 596.40	
Appropriation,	700.00	
Unexpended,		\$ 103.60

STATE AID HIGHWAY, 1928

A. H. Smiley,	\$ 9.00
William Hughes,	9.00
O. H. Davenport,	5.62
H. M. Tolman,	4.50
H. M. Tolman,	12.16
William Hughes,	14.00
A. H. Smiley,	11.55
O. H. Davenport,	20.47
J. E. Hughes,	11.16
W. V. Hughes,	11.16
Raymond McFadden,	9.66
M. F. Tracy,	11.33
Charlie Smith,	9.83
A. H. Smiley,	3.00
S. F. Tanner,	32.77
A. B. Davenport,	32.77
R. C. Smiley,	32.77
Henry Hammond,	3.00

H. M. Tolman,	15.16
William Hughes,	16.08
J. E. Hughes,	14.66
W. V. Hughes,	14.66
Raymond McFadden,	13.16
M. F. Tracy,	14.50
Henry Hammond,	6.00
Charlie Smith,	12.00
Walter McArthur,	10.50
O. H. Davenport,	22.95
S. F. Tanner,	48.89
A. B. Davenport,	48.89
R. C. Smiley,	48.89
Charlie Atter,	6.00
A. H. Smiley,	29.40
H. S. Patterson,	15.40
H. M. Tolman,	18.00
William Hughes,	18.00
J. E. Hughes,	18.00
W. V. Hughes,	18.00
Raymond McFadden,	15.00
M. F. Tracy,	18.00
Charlie Smith,	18.00
Walter McArthur,	14.83
O. H. Davenport,	24.52
Storer Tanner,	60.00
A. B. Davenport,	58.33
R. C. Smiley,	55.00
Henry Hammond,	9.00
Charlie Atter,	2.50
A. H. Smiley,	18.90
O. W. Smiley,	84.90
A. B. Davenport,	45.00
O. H. Davenport,	10.57
A. H. Smiley,	2.80
R. C. Smiley,	21.66
R. C. Smiley,	45.00
A. H. Smiley,	9.10

William Hughes,	13.50	
C. D. Clark,	2.80	
A. B. Davenport,	21.66	
O. H. Davenport,	13.50	
Charlie Smith,	6.50	
Walter McArthur,	5.00	
S. F. Tanner,	21.66	
Walter McArthur,	4.50	
Charlie Smith,	13.50	
J. E. Hughes	13.50	
W. V. Hughes,	6.50	
S. F. Tanner,	45.00	
J. E. Hughes,	6.50	
H. M. Tolman,	12.00	
H. M. Tolman,	1.50	
Berger Mfg. Co.,	158.76	
S. F. Tanner,	38.00	
W. V. Hughes,	13.50	
M. F. Tracy,	20.00	
Charles Atter,	1.50	
		\$ 1,585.38
Appropriation,	533.00	
Received from State.	1,052.38	
		\$ 1,585.38

RIVER ROAD GRAVEL, 1928

J. E. Hughes,	\$ 7.20
W. V. Hughes,	7.20
Lorenzo Paine,	16.50
W. V. Hughes,	11.25
M. F. Tracy,	21.15
J. E. Hughes,	14.10
J. E. Hughes,	6.00
W. V. Hughes,	6.00
Lorenzo Paine,	6.00
M. F. Tracy,	6.00
A. B. Davenport,	100.00

Storer Tanner,	83.33	
O. H. Davenport,	29.25	
Elestine Trageny and Ethel M. Springer,	6.20	
R. C. Smiley,	5.25	
Mildred Springer,	23.40	
John Harvey,	9.60	
R. C. Smiley,	10.00	
Raymond McFadden,	3.00	
Charlie Smith,	3.00	
J. E. Hughes,	3.00	
J. E. Hughes,	5.66	
W. V. Hughes,	8.66	
M. F. Tracy,	3.00	
Walter McArthur,	5.66	
M. F. Tracy,	5.66	
Storer Tanner,	10.00	
A. B. Davenport,	25.00	
Charlie Smith,	4.50	
H. M. Tolman,	6.00	
R. C. Smiley,	16.60	
Storer Tanner,	18.89	
O. H. Davenport,	3.15	
Storer Tanner,	10.00	
	\$	500.21
Appropriation,	\$ 500.00	
Overexpended,	.21	
	\$	500.21

QUAKER ROAD

Percy French,	\$ 30.00
Harry Haskell,	40.00
Arthur Keene,	8.10
Fred Keene,	37.77
George Dudley,	9.45
Daniel Bartlett,	12.15
Harvey Smith,	9.45
Harold Reynolds,	13.50

A. G. Cummings,	25.20		
Percy French,	52.70		
W. Y. Ballard,	21.30		
W. Y. Ballard,	47.45		
William Cowan,	8.10		
Fred Ames,	8.10		
Don Philbrick,	4.05		
Harry Haskell,	20.00		
Harvey Smith,	8.10		
Harold Reynolds,	6.75		
Earl Bartlett,	6.75		
George Dudley,	10.80		
Fred Peterson,	30.00		
Fred Keene,	2.70		
Malcolm Philbrick,	25.00		
Roland Philbrick,	2.70		
Roland Philbrick,	5.40		
Arthur Keene,	18.90		
George Green,	2.70		
Charles Smith,	27.50		
		\$	494.62
Unexpended,			5.38
		\$	500.00
Appropriation,		\$	500.00

ROBINSON ROAD

Malcolm Philbrick,	\$	30.00	
W. Y. Ballard,		56.50	
Harold Reynolds,		13.50	
George Dudley,		8.10	
Harvey Smith,		13.50	
Percy French,		35.40	
Herbert Burnham,		8.10	
Harry Haskell,		22.50	
George Green,		12.60	
Bert Blaisdell,		12.60	
		\$	212.80

Overdrawn,	12.80
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	\$ 200.00
Appropriation,	\$ 200.00

BLISTER RUST CONTROL

Robert Austin,	\$ 20.60
Robert Austin,	33.80
Horace Drummond,	25.40
Robert Austin,	35.80
	\$ 115.60
Unexpended,	84.40

	\$ 200.00
Appropriation,	\$ 200.00

Appropriation for Hastings bridge,	\$ 2,856.00
Rebate due from State,	600.00
	\$ 2,256.00

LEWIS ROAD

William Cowan,	\$ 10.80
Lincoln Crabtree,	9.45
Manson Cowan,	31.50
Robert McCormack,	6.75
Selden Manter,	28.35
Annie Chevenir,	15.00
John Griffin,	16.20
W. Y. Ballard,	90.40
Arthur Keene,	21.60
Percy French,	21.60
Harold Reynolds,	18.90
Harvey Smith,	18.90
Paul Rosner,	18.90
George Green,	18.90
Fred Peterson,	29.70
Fred Ames,	18.90

William Cowan,	8.10	
Manson Cowan,	18.90	
Evelyn Goodhue,	44.10	
D. M. Perkins,	16.20	
C. H. Goodhue,	26.00	
		\$ 489.15
Unexpended,		10.85

	\$	500.00
Appropriation,	\$	500.00

BOG ROAD—SPECIAL

Earl Bartlett,	\$ 10.80	
Harold Reynolds,	10.80	
Daniel Bartlett,	10.80	
George Dudley,	10.80	
John Philbrick,	10.80	
Don Philbrick,	13.50	
George Green,	8.10	
Harry Haskell,	27.50	
Earl Bartlett,	9.45	
Percy French,	40.00	
W. Y. Ballard,	41.90	
Harvey Smith,	6.75	
W. Y. Ballard,	30.00	
Arthur Keene,	8.10	
Fred Keene,	30.00	
Fred Peterson,	60.00	
William Cowan,	16.20	
Fred Ames,	16.20	
Malcolm Philbrick,	60.00	
Roland Philbrick,	14.85	
Charles Smith,	60.00	
		\$ 496.55
Unexpended,		3.45
	\$	500.00
Appropriation,	\$	500.00

TOWN FARM ROAD

J. E. Hughes,	\$ 6.30	
W. V. Hughes,	5.40	
Lorenzo Paine,	5.40	
M. F. Tracy,	5.40	
A. B. Davenport,	10.00	
R. C. Smiley,	5.40	
A. H. Smiley,	12.60	
H. M. Tolman,	14.70	
M. F. Tracy,	12.30	
Almon Stevens,	18.90	
W. V. Hughes,	11.40	
J. E. Hughes,	9.60	
R. C. Smiley,	16.20	
A. H. Smiley,	37.80	
A. B. Davenport,	45.55	
Lorenzo Paine,	14.70	
Storer Tanner,	38.55	
Walter Wilshire,	5.25	
James Williams,	6.30	
Charlie Smith,	8.25	
A. H. Smiley,	25.20	
H. M. Tolman,	27.00	
Raymond McFadden,	13.50	
Charlie Smith,	13.50	
O. H. Davenport,	47.47	
M. F. Tracy,	19.20	
M. I. Knight,	31.50	
J. E. Hughes,	16.20	
W. V. Hughes,	16.20	
	\$	499.77
Unexpended,		.23
	\$	500.00
Appropriation,	\$	500.00

MINOT ROAD, 1928

A. B. Davenport,	\$	40.00	
O. H. Davenport,		25.65	
Charlie Smith,		18.00	
Raymond McFadden,		10.80	
M. F. Tracy,		12.00	
Raymond McFadden,		18.00	
Storer Tanner,		80.00	
Charlie Smith,		12.00	
A. H. Smiley,		2.80	
A. H. Smiley,		5.50	
R. C. Smiley,		97.22	
M. F. Tracy,		18.00	
H. M. Tolman,		24.16	
A. B. Davenport,		60.00	
O. H. Davenport,		8.32	
William Hughes,		7.66	
J. E. Hughes,		30.00	
W. V. Hughes,		30.00	
			\$ 500.11
Appropriation,	\$	500.00	
Overexpended,		.11	
			\$ 500.11

PATROL 50-50

O. H. Davenport,	\$	24.30	
Clifton Tilton,		37.80	
A. H. Smiley,		37.80	
			\$ 99.90
Received from State,			99.90

THIRD CLASS HIGHWAY, 1928

Paid by Town,	\$	2,330.26	
Received from State,		2,142.16	
Overdrawn,	\$	188.10	

SPECIAL RESOLVE, 1928

Paid by Town,	\$	1,992.72	
Received from State,		1,992.72	

MAINTENANCE, 1928

W. Y. Ballard,	\$ 40.00	
Harvey Smith,	10.80	
Harold Reynolds,	9.45	
Arthur Keene,	10.80	
Levitt Terrio,	9.45	
Harold Reynolds,	4.05	
Daniel Bartlett,	4.05	
George Dudley,	4.05	
Earl Bartlett,	4.05	
Percy French,	20.00	
Harvey Smith,	8.10	
Arthur Keene,	4.05	
W. Y. Ballard,	20.00	
Charlie Smith,	20.00	
C. D. Clark,	2.10	
H. M. Tolman,	6.00	
J. E. Hughes,	7.83	
W. V. Hughes,	7.83	
A. H. Smiley,	2.10	
Storer Tanner,	26.11	
Walter McArthur,	15.22	
M. F. Tracy,	7.83	
Charlie Atter,	2.66	
A. B. Davenport,	8.33	
O. H. Davenport,	13.50	
Charlie Smith,	7.50	
William Hughês,	2.00	
R. C. Smiley,	20.00	
O. W. Smiley,	14.00	
	\$	311.86
Appropriation,	\$ 200.00	
Received from State,	127.89	
	\$	327.89
Unexpended,	\$	16.03

RIVERSIDE FERRY ACCOUNT, 1928

J. S. Tracy, ferryman, 250 days at		
\$2.00 per day,	\$	500.00
C. D. Clark, hauling out ferryboat,		3.00
C. M. Goff, plank,		5.20
	—	\$ 508.20
Vassalboro's part, $\frac{3}{8}$,	190.57	
Sidney's part, $\frac{5}{8}$,	317.63	
	—	\$ 508.20
Due from Vassalboro, for 4 years ferry		
accounts,	\$	360.55

ABATEMENTS

Sophia Jackson,	\$	9.92
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RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES

LIABILITIES

M. L. Reynolds, Heirs, note with interest,	\$	2,100.00
S. C. Hastings, note with interest,		3,138.05
Vileda Bean's note with interest,		402.90
State Trust Co., notes,		4,000.00
	—	
	\$	9,640.95

RESOURCES

Due from H. A. Faught, Treas.,	\$	2,332.52
Due from State on Hastings bridge,		600.00
Due from Vassalboro Ferry acct. for 4 years,		360.55
Due from town of Boothbay,		22.00
Due from State (pauper acct.),		62.81
Due from tax deeds,		364.37
	—	
	\$	3,742.25
Balance against Town,	\$	5,898.70

C. D. CLARK,
W. E. NOBLE,
J. A. LYON,
Selectmen of Sidney.

Treasurer's and Collector's Report,

1928

RECEIPTS FROM FEB. 10, 1928 TO FEB. 10, 1929

Balance on hand Feb. 10, 1928,	\$ 799.67
State Treasurer, soldiers' pensions,	252.00
Rosanna Fowler,	96.00
City of Portland, for Mrs. Penney,	51.00
State Treasurer, support of paupers,	207.78
State Treasurer, highway department,	171.41
State Treasurer, damage by dogs (1926),	75.00
State Treasurer,	127.89
Municipal Court, Waterville fee collected for keeping unlicensed dogs,	5.00
Order Eastern Star, for pump,	5.00
J. H. Field, dog licenses,	131.00
Town of Solon, acct. Ed. Merrill,	25.00
State Treasurer, dog licenses, refunded,	45.33
State Treasurer, school fund,	2,813.03
State Treasurer, state school fund,	210.00
State Treasurer, third class highway,	2,142.16
State Treasurer, improved state road,	1,052.38
State Treasurer, special resolve for road,	1,992.72
Town of Boothbay for Burnham boys,	66.00
State Trust Co., int. on check acct.,	47.49
State Trust Co., loans,	27,000.00
Commitment 1928.	28,053.58
	\$ 65,369.44

EXPENDITURES FROM FEB. 10, 1928 TO FEB. 10, 1929

Mrs. Phrosina Ellis, state pension,	\$ 96.00
Mrs. Rosanna Fowles, state pension,	96.00

Gladys Sheaff, state pension,	60.00
County Treasurer, county tax,	958.49
State Treasurer, dog licenses,	131.00
State Treasurer, maintenance patrol,	596.40
State Treasurer, state tax,	3,406.86
Town bills,	4,611.09
Hastings bridge,	2,856.00
Poor bills,	1,979.85
Winter bills 1928-29,	1,523.50
School bills,	10,556.37
Summer highway bills,	3,152.03
River Road gravel,	500.21
Patrol highway 50-50,	99.90
M. L. Reynolds, Heirs, note,	500.00
Maintenance highway,	311.86
Quaker road,	494.62
Town Farm road.	499.77
Lewis road,	489.15
Bog road,	496.55
Robinson road,	212.80
Special resolve highway,	1,992.72
Minot road,	500.11
State aid road,	1,585.38
Third class highway,	2,330.26
State Trust Co., loan,	23,000.00
Balance due town Feb. 10, 1929,	2,332.52
	\$ 65,369.44

Vital Statistics

MARRIAGES FROM FEB. 10, 1928 TO FEB. 10, 1929

1928

March 5—Edward R. Goff and Goldie H. Cummings.

May 5—Ray E. Philbrick and Mary E. Freeman.

May 5—Waldo W. Drake and Doris A. Bangs.

May 19—Kenneth A. Keene and Cherie B. Jackson.

July 3—Philip A. Gordon and Jennie M. Freeman.

Aug. 18—Edward E. Freeman and Lillian M. Wood.

August 30—George E. Bixby and Lottie H. Prentiss.

September 1—Clyde M. Sanborn and Doris Vashon.

September 3—Russell M. Bailey and Doris M. Drummond.

September 10—Kenneth H. Cassens and Bertha L. Sherard.

September 10—Leslie R. Lathe and Maretta P. Sanborn.

September 15—William P. Marble and Jennie E. Clark.

October 27—Lawrence M. Lyon and Doris C. Page.

November 24—Cecil A. Haskell and Anna B. Black.

BIRTHS FROM FEB. 10, 1928 TO FEB. 19, 1929

1928

Feb. 14—Mildred Josephine Trask, female; parents, H. Elmer and Lillian.

Feb. 21—Alice Virginia Philbrick, female; parents, Chas. Malcolm and Blanche.

March 4—Myrtle Arlene Tilton, female; parents, George and Lydia.

April 8—Phylis Ann Hughes, female; parents, William and Margarete.

April 8—Russell Erwin Cummings, male; parents, Alton and Gladys.

May 11—Harold Anson Brackett, Jr., male; parents, Harold and Ivadell.

June 27—Gordon Archie Real, male; parents, Gordon and Marian.

August 21—Carolyn Edith Mills, female; parents, D. William and Hazel.

Nov. 1—Ruth Louise Benson, female; parents, Harold and Ella.

Dec. 5—Madelyn Virginia and Marilyn Helena Keene, females; parents, Kenneth and Cherie.

DEATHS FROM FEB. 10, 1928 TO FEB. 10, 1929

1928

Feb. 12—Mary Keene, age 93; cause, heart failure from old age.

March 7—George P. Ellis, age 77; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

March 13—Henry Augustus Bowman, aged 81; cause, Arterial Sclerosis.

March 13—Clymena W. Drummond, age 91; cause, arterial sclerosis.

March 19—Alice Delia Haskell, age 58; cause, tuberculosis of lungs.

—May 31—Bernice V. Reynolds, age 9 months; cause, mitral insufficiency.

June 1—Chester Orlando Gerry, age 68; cause, cerebral hemorrhage.

July 18—Frank Abbott, age 74; cause chronic rheumatism.

—Sept. 1—Fred Oscar Hamlin, age 73; cause, hypernephroma kidney metastases.

Sept. 2—Arthur W. Bowman, age 63; cause, angina pectoris.

Sept. 19—Laura Seery, age 83; cause, invalid for years.

Oct. 25—Thomas S. Benson, age 85; cause, mitral disease of heart.

Nov. 11—Lindley H. Wyman, age 74; cause, pneumonia.

Dec. 1—Hattie P. Lincoln, age 75; cause, chronic myocarditis.

Dec. 29—Celia Ann Trask, age 80; cause, appoplexy.
1929

Jan. 6—Phrosine M. Ellis, age 89; cause, valvular disease of heart.

Jan. 15—Harriet M. Wilson, age 76; cause, congestion of lungs.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. FIELD, Town Clerk.

School Report, 1928-29

To the School Committee of Sidney:

I herewith submit my eleventh annual report of the schools for the year ending Feb. 20, 1929.

Very satisfactory conditions have existed this year for carrying on the school program. There has been a minimum number of changes in the teaching staff, the enrollment has increased in all of the schools, the daily attendance has been exceptionally good, we have been fortunate to a large degree in escaping the epidemics of colds and contagious diseases which have been so prevalent in so many of the towns and there has existed a fine spirit between the schools and homes.

In bringing to your attention the needs of the schools for another year I wish to emphasize a longer school year. I have brought this matter to your attention in past reports but each year the need of an elementary school year of thirty-six weeks, grows more acute and I urge that steps be taken at the annual meeting to provide the means for this additional schooling. The majority of towns in the state, have adopted the standard year. The courses in the high schools and colleges are based on a thirty-six week year and it is not fair to handicap the boys and girls, the greater per cent of which are anxious to attend a secondary school, so that they can meet the boys and girls of other towns and cities in fair competition.

I realize that the cost of an education is still on the increase especially a course in the secondary school, I realize too that any additional expense is a burden on the town but the results and benefits derived by the children are worthy of such an expenditure.

An act providing for a standard school year of thirty-six

weeks is to be introduced into our legislature at this session and I hope it may receive the support of the rural towns.

HIGH SCHOOL TUITION

The matter of tuition has increased over that of last year and I wish to discuss this briefly that you may know why this increase occurs.

The pupils who live in a town which does not support a free high school may attend any secondary school which is approved by the state. The law also designates the amount of tuition for which a town is liable and the amount which may be charged by the high school.

During the past twenty years there has been several changes in the tuition rate. The town at first was obliged to pay a charge of \$45 per pupil, with a reimbursement from the state of two-thirds this amount up to \$500. The obligation of the town was again increased to \$60 with a reimbursement from the state of two-thirds the amount up to \$600. Two years ago the law was changed and the basis for the tuition rate, was to be the cost of schooling, per pupil for the preceding year and the limit of obligation to the town was set at \$100.

In other words if during the year 1927-28 it were found that it cost \$80 per pupil to run a high school, \$80 would be the tuition charge that might be made by that school, during the year 1928-1929 and a like amount might be collected from any town not supporting a free high school, for its pupils in attendance. If the expenses of the school increased the limit of \$100 per pupil might be charged. However a reimbursement of two-thirds this amount up to \$700 is received from the state.

Many of our surrounding schools are charging \$100 per pupil and as the cost of secondary education increases it is fair to assume that all schools in the near future will charge the maximum amount.

. During the past year we have had approximately thirty pupils attending high school as follows: Ten at Waterville,

fifteen at Oakland, two at Belgrade, one at Auburn and one at Kents Hill.

It is safe to assume that in the future we shall have at least this number of pupils at the high school and that our tuition account will increase. Therefore in the past few years we have raised \$1000 for this account, I would suggest that we increase this amount to \$1200.

It has been intimated that the town might well establish a high school of its own. While it is a commendable act for towns to maintain a high school, the cost of a building together with the teaching staff and equipment which would have to be furnished to meet the requirements of a standard school, would be greatly in excess of the maximum amount that would be paid for tuition.

CONVEYANCE

This report shows an increase in the amount paid for conveyance over that of last year. While there is no definite limit set by law as to how far children may be expected to walk to and from school, the law does make it clear that children shall be conveyed when in the judgment of the school committee, such children live an unreasonable distance from a school. In the majority of cases a distance of one mile and one half is considered a reasonable distance. But a mile and one quarter or even a mile may seem an unreasonable distance, in the mind of the committee for the small children to walk. The whole problem is left to the judgment of the committee.

In our town we maintain ten schools, but the school population is so widely scattered that it is necessary to establish many conveyance routes. Possibly the amount of conveyance in the town is above the average of the rural towns of the state.

Your committee has endeavored at all times to protect the welfare of the children and has furnished a safe and comfortable conveyance for all who live a long distance from a school.

It has cost for conveyance this year an average rate of

\$68 per week for the thirty weeks. The several conveyances have been as follows: From Sewal Clark's, River road to No.3. From South Town line, River road to No. 1. From Davenport district to No. 2. From Eight Rod road to No. 2. From Eight Rod road to No. 4. From Quaker road to No. 9. From Belgrade road to No. 8.

I have made note of this matter of conveyance in my report that the citizens might better understand that the conveyance of our children is one of the big problems of the school program and that it is quite as necessary to provide the means of transportation as it is to furnish textbooks, repairs and a teaching staff.

REPAIRS

During the summer vacation a new foundation was laid under the Thayer Corner school at an approximate cost of \$400. The work was done by Milton Thayer, and it was completed in a very satisfactory manner.

\$100 was expended for new school desks, and about \$100 was used to pay for material bought of C. A. Waite, and which was used in the construction of the toilets, last year, a bill of which was not rendered until this fall term. In addition to these expenses the school buildings have received minor repairs such as cleaning, setting glass, etc.

For next year I would suggest an appropriation to apply on the repairs of the Town Farm building and at the Clark school. Both of these buildings are in very poor shape, and a new central building would hardly cost more than the amount needed to place these buildings in first class condition. However, in past years, the citizens of the town have favored the one room type of school so I would suggest that we carry out this plan and repair these buildings as soon as convenient.

Many of our school desks are becoming unfit for use, and we should purchase at least one dozen desks each year and work toward the end of equipping our school buildings with the single, adjustable desks and chairs. A program of this kind carried out over a period of ten years would place modern desks in practically all of the buildings.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation,	\$ 5,000.00
State Fund,	2,113.03
Equipment Fund,	210.00
	\$ 7,323.03
Overdrawn,	627.62
	\$ 7,950.65

EXPENDITURES

Teachers

June Towle Wright,	\$ 540.00
Merle Goodwin,	288.00
Margaret Conant,	180.00
Mildred Cornforth,	72.00
Jennie Williams,	540.00
Elizabeth Brown,	180.00
Ruth Lewis,	360.00
Edith Grover,	540.00
Velma Perkins,	558.00
Lida Smith,	241.20
Myles Jackson,	320.00
Hazel Trask,	540.00
Annie Davis,	540.00
Bessie Webster,	180.00
Mary Taylor,	360.00
	\$ 5,439.20

Janitors

Robert Nichols,	\$ 16.70
William Lewis,	15.00
Jennie Williams,	15.00
Robert Clark,	5.00
Lydia Clark,	10.00
Mrs. Alfreda Tracy,	5.00
June Towle Wright,	10.00
Charles Barr,	15.00

Velma Perkins,	15.50	
Hazel Trask,	15.00	
Annie Davis,	9.50	
Manson Cowan,	11.00	
Carolyn Goodhue,	15.00	
		\$ 157.70

Conveyance

Ira Foss,	\$ 290.00	
Eva Clark,	150.00	
Ira Taylor,	440.00	
Carver & Davis,	450.00	
Lida Smith,	100.00	
F. W. Peterson,	450.00	
Clifton Tilton,	60.00	
Fred Sheaff,	30.00	
Harry Dawes,	24.00	
		\$ 1,994.00

Fuel

George Tilton,	\$ 60.00	
James Williams,	30.00	
Clifton Tilton,	90.00	
W. W. Cowan,	84.00	
Ned Goff,	24.00	
Lawrence Lyon,	6.00	
Alfreda Tracy,	1.00	
Robert Nichols,	1.00	
June Towle,	2.00	
Charles Smith,	12.25	
Elmer Burnham,	3.75	
Oakley Philbrick,	2.50	
Evelyn Goodhue,	3.00	
George Green,	32.00	
W. W. Cowan,	2.25	
Eva Clark,	3.00	
Harry Thayer,	3.00	
		\$ 359.75

Total expenditures,		\$ 7,950.65
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TUITION ACCOUNT

Receipts

Appropriation,	\$	1,000.00	
State Fund,		700.00	
Refund from Belgrade,		100.00	
	\$	1,800.00	
Overdrawn,		23.26	
			\$ 1,823.26

Expenditures

Town of Oakland,	\$	918.75	
Waterville,		500.00	
Belgrade,		100.00	
Auburn,		100.00	
Kents Hill Seminary,		204.51	
			\$ 1,823.26

	1927-1928		1928-1929	
	Fall	Winter	Spring	Fall Winter
Bulah Bowman,	\$20.00	\$15.00		
Dean Bailey,	20.00	15.00	\$31.25	
Addie Crabtree	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Pearl Crabtree,	20.00	15.00		
Gladys Cowan,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Arthur Clark,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Grace Durmmond,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Horace Drummond,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Avis Drummond,	15.00	15.00		
Sidney Longley,	20.00	15.00		
Evelyn Noble,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Arleen Webber,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Ernistine Webber,	20.00	15.00	31.25	
Frank Bailey,			31.25	
Robert Clark,			31.25	
Drusilla Clark,			31.25	
Robert Ellis,			31.25	
William Lewis,			31.25	
Howard Peterson,			31.25	

Evelyn Graves,	20.00	33.33	33.33	37.84	
Anna Black,	20.00	30.00	30.00		
Pansy Winslow,		25.00	25.00	25.00	\$25.00
Wendell Bragg,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Bertha Cannon,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Bertha Sherrard,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Mildred Sherrard,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Shirley Stevens,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Luther Taylor,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Beverly Winslow,	20.00	20.00	20.00		
Shirley Stevens,	14.00	14.00	12.00		
John Plisga,	14.00	4.00			
Donald Taylor,	14.00	8.00			
Elvira Sheaff,		25.00	25.00	25.00	
Arthur Sheaff,				25.00	

BOOK ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation of town,	\$	250.00	
		\$	250.00

EXPENDITURES

Scott Foresman Co.,	\$	13.48	
Ginn & Co.,		43.24	
American Book Co.,		31.79	
J. L. Hammett Co.,		52.50	
World Book Co.,		10.42	
D. K. Knowlton Co.,		1.12	
Charles E. Merrill Co.,		9.96	
Loring, Short & Harmon,		4.95	
City Job Print,		3.50	
E. E. Babb & Co.,		4.98	
Silver Burdett & Co.,		3.07	
Papercrafters, Inc.,		10.50	
John S. Tapley,		2.05	
	\$	191.56	
Unexpended,		58.44	
		\$	250.00

REPAIR ACCOUNT

RECEIPTS

Appropriation of town,	\$ 700.00	
		\$ 700.00

EXPENDITURES

Robert McCormack,	\$ 5.00	
J. B. Ballard,	9.58	
Proctor- Bowie Co.,	11.75	
D. M. Marshall & Co.,	10.33	
Velma Perkins,	4.00	
Lizzie Barr,	1.00	
Robert Clark,	3.00	
W. E. Noble,	8.00	
J. M. Thayer,	375.00	
J. S. Tracy,	5.00	
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins,	89.00	
C. A. Waite	106.74	
D. M. Perkins,	4.80	
Eva Clark,	9.70	
June Wright,	3.00	
Walter Gilman,	1.50	
B. F. Jackson,	11.00	
Raymond Pooler,	3.00	
Annie Davis,	3.00	
Myles Jackson,	3.00	
Maud Crabtree,	5.00	
A. L. Clark,	6.00	
Ira Taylor,	4.50	
J. L. Hammett Co.,	6.50	
Hussey Hardware Co.,	1.50	
	\$ 690.90	
Unexpended,	9.10	
	\$	700.00

SUMMARY

RECEIPTS

Common Schools,	\$ 5,000.00
High School Tuition,	1,000.00
State Fund,	2,813.03
Equilization Fund,	210.00
Textbooks,	250.00
Repairs,	700.00
Refund, Belgrade,	100.00
	\$ 10,073.03
Overdrawn,	583.34
	—————\$ 10,656.37

EXPENDITURES

Common Schools,	\$ 7,950.65
H. S. Tuition,	1,823.26
Repairs,	690.90
Books,	191.56
	—————\$ 10,656.37

LIST OF TEACHERS

June Towle Wright	Dist. No. 1	Sidney, Me.
Margaret Conant	Dist. No. 2	Skowhegan, Me.
Merle Goodwin	Dist. No. 2	East Corinth, Me.
Myrtle Cornforth	Dist. No. 2	Unity, Me.
Jennie Williams	Dist. No. 3	Sidney, Me.
Elizabeth Brown,	Dist. No. 4	Waterville, Me.
Ruth Lewis	Dist. No. 4	Sidney, Me.
Edith Grover	Dist. No. 5	Lisbon Falls, Me.
Velma Perkins	Dist. No. 6	Rome, Me.
Mrs. Lida Smith	Dist. No. 7	Sidney, Me.
Myles Jackson	Dist. No. 7	Sidney, Me.
Hazel Trask	Dist. No. 8	Sidney, Me.
Annie Davis	Dist. No. 9	Sidney, Me.
Bessie Webster	Dist. No. 10	Skowhegan, Me.
Mary Johnson-Taylor	Dist. No. 10	Stetson, Me.

RECOMMENDATIONS

You will note that the overdraft is in the common school account especially in the item of conveyance. This account may be the same next year or perhaps less in either case I would suggest that we raise \$5500 for common schools to take care of this deficit. In the other accounts I would suggest that we raise the following amounts:

Common Schools,	\$ 5,500.00
High School Tuition,	1,000.00
Textbooks,	225.00
Repairs,	500.00

In closing I wish to thank the members of the School Committee for the cooperation which they have given me this year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. TAPLEY,
Superintendent of Schools.

Report of Sidney Town Fair, 1928

RECEIPTS

Balance unexpended, 1927,	\$	18.16
Appropriated by town,		50.00
Received for ground rent,		56.75
Received from dance,		19.05
Total,	\$	143.96

EXPENDITURES

Premiums,	\$	37.50
Charles Mower, ground rent,		15.00
Music,		10.00
Dance tickets,		.15
Ball game,		10.00
Dinner for musicians,		2.00
Ribbon and tags,		5.75
Printing bills and postage,		10.61
Printing prize cards,		2.50
Cleaning hall and grounds,		7.00
		100.51
Balance unexpended,		43.45
	\$	143.96

The special prize of \$10.00 presented by Robert Stobie for the best display of apples was received by Cleon D. Bartlett.

A special prize of \$10.00 was received from Robert Stobie for the best display of apples in 1929. Mr. Stobie to receive one bushel of apples from the recipient.

W. PITT LYON,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Warrant for Town Meeting, 1929

*To F. G. Creed, Constable of the Town of Sidney in the
County of Kennebec.*

GREETING:

In the name of the State of Maine you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Sidney, qualified by law to vote in town affairs to assemble at the Town Hall in said town on Monday the 4th day of March A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to act on the following articles, to wit:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

Article 2. To choose a Town Clerk.

Article 3. To choose three Selectmen, Assessors and overseers of the Poor for the ensuing year.

Article 4. To choose one or more members of the School Board.

Article 5. To choose a Treasurer and Collector of taxes.

Article 6. To choose a Fire Warden.

Article 7. To choose one or more Road Commissioners.

Article 8. To choose all other officers required by law to be chosen at the annual meeting.

Article 9. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for making and repairing highways and bridges and determine in what manner it shall be expended.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote "Yes" or "No" on the question of raising money necessary to entitle the town to State Aid as provided in Section 19 of Chapter 25 of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Article 11. To see what sum the town will vote to raise for the improvement of the section of State Aid road as outlined in the report of the State Highway Commission in addition to the amounts regularly raised for the care of the ways, highways and bridges under the provision of Section 18, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916, or under the provisions of Section 21, Chapter 25, R. S. amended by Chapter 258, P. L. 1917.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate money and what sum for the maintenance of State Aid and highways under the provisions of Section 8, 17, 26, 27, 28, Chapter 25, of the Revised Statutes of 1916.

Article 13. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of common schools.

Article 14. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for tuition of scholars attending schools out of town.

Article 15. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the repair of schoolhouses.

Article 16. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of school books.

Article 17. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of poor.

Article 18. To see how much money the town will vote to raise to defray town charges.

Article 19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$125.00 more or less in cooperation with State and Federal funds for the purpose of controlling the white pine blister rust within the town limits.

Article 20. To see if the town will vote to authorize one of the Selectmen to sell and convey land bought for taxes.

Article 21. To see if the town will vote to authorize the

treasurer with the consent of the selectmen to hire money for the use of the town.

Article 22. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate \$25.00 for Memorial Day.

Article 23. To see if the town will vote to hold a Town Fair in 1929.

Article 24. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for a Fair.

Article 25. To choose officers for the Town Fair.

Article 26. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for patrol work on the Middle and Bog roads.

Article 27. To see if the town will vote to purchase the Jared Grant property.

Article 28. To see if the town will vote to abate Eliza Ellis' tax for 1928 and exempt her from taxation.

Article 29. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500.00 to pay on note.

Article 30. To see how much money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for improving the Lewis road.

Article 31. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for improving the Hallett cross road, beginning at the foot of Daniel Perkins hill and extending east as far as appropriation will allow.

Article 32. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500 for graveling the Minot and Hallett roads.

Article 33. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500 for graveling the Town Farm and Davies road.

Article 34. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500 for continuing improvement of south section of Quaker road.

Article 35. To see how much money the town will vote

to raise for graveling the Lyon cross road.

Article 36. To see if the town will vote to raise \$500 for graveling the River road.

Article 37. To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the purchase of snow fence.

Article 38. To see if the town will vote to abate the taxes of Gladys E. Sheaff for 1928.

Article 39. To see what action the town will take in the method of breaking roads the coming winter.

Article 40. To see if the town will vote to raise \$65 to match State Department of Health funds for the support of county public health nursing to continue work with mothers and children which is now being carried on entirely by the State Department of Health.

Article 41. An article to do any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

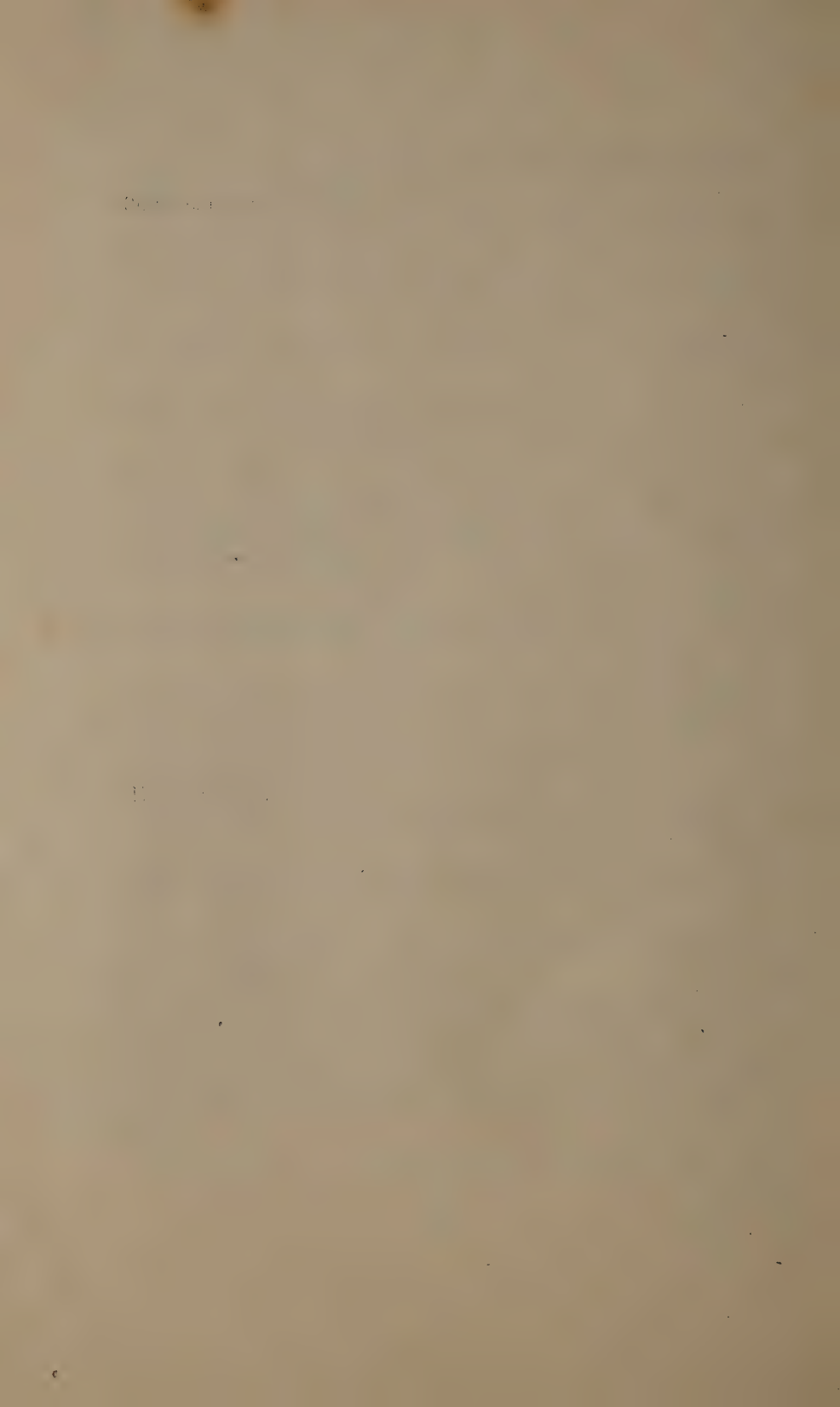
The Selectmen give notice that they will be in session at their office for the purpose of correcting the list of voters at nine o'clock in the forenoon of the day of said meeting.

Hereof fail not to make due return of this warrant with your doings thereon with the clerk of said town on or before the time of said meeting.

Given under our hands this 15th day of February, 1929.

C. D. CLARK,
W. E. NOBLE,
J. A. LYON,

Selectmen of Sidney.







PRESERVE THIS REPORT

A sufficient number of these reports have been printed to furnish every interested citizen with a copy. An effort has been made to get them into the hands of the voters in advance. It should be borne in mind that if copies are left at home there may not be sufficient number at the hall to go around on town meeting day. This year or any year it is desirable for you to have a copy of the annual report as soon as possible. It is also important for you to preserve it and bring it with you town meeting day.